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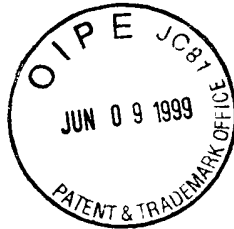
In re Patent Application of

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING NOVEL
DNA SEQUENCE WITH BIOLOGICAL
ACTIVITY



) **BOX INTERFERENCE**

) Group Art Unit: 1632

) Examiner: Unassigned

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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☐ Also enclosed is _____.

☐ _____ statement(s) claiming small entity status
☐ are also enclosed ☐ were submitted previously.

☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.

☐ No additional claim fee is required.

☒ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDT'L FEE
Total Claims	20	MINUS 20 =	0	x \$18.00 =	0.00
Independent Claims	20	MINUS 14 =	6	x \$78.00 =	468.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$260.00					
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$468.00

☒ A claim fee in the amount of \$ 468.00 is enclosed.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

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